

NIOSH Extramural Grants Program

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Mission

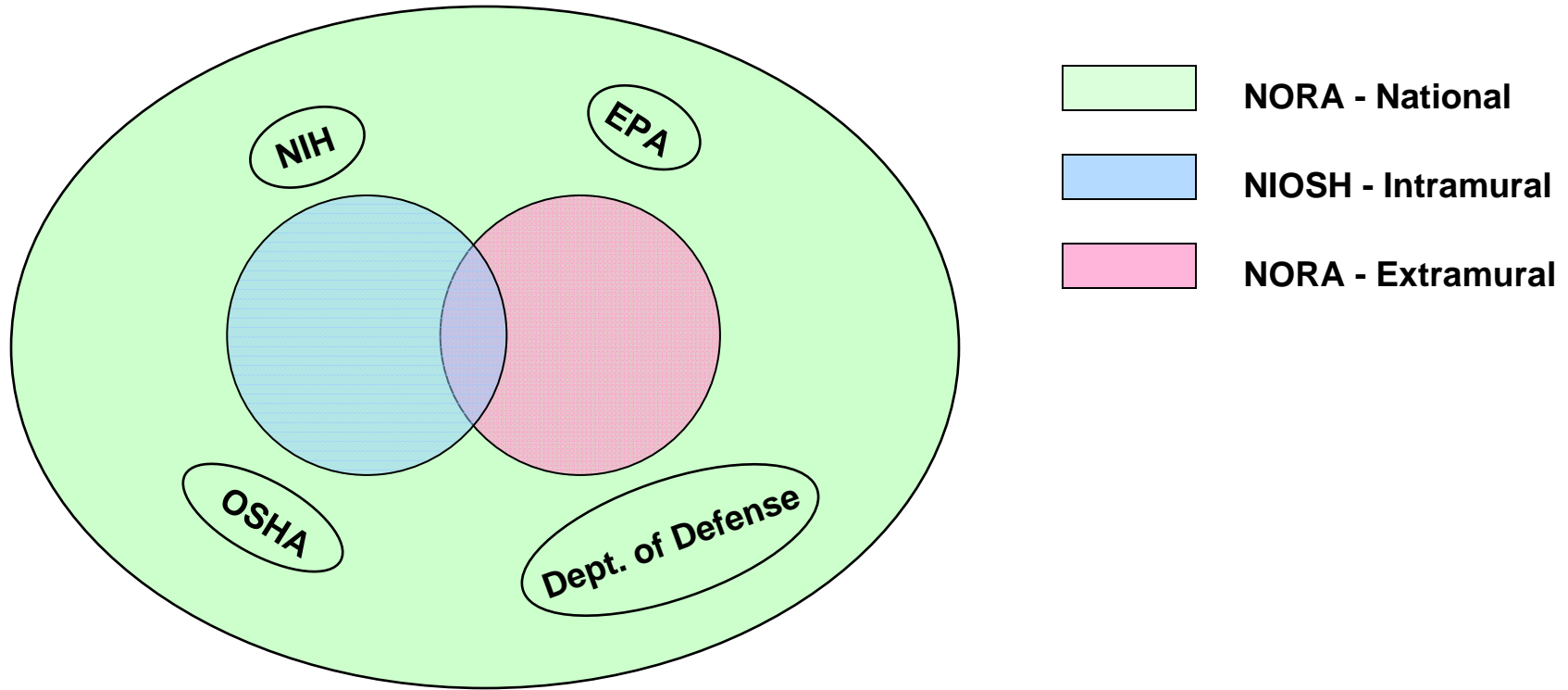
- The extramural research and training program is designed to complement the intramural programs and to extend the research agenda beyond what NIOSH scientists can do alone.
- The extramural grants program takes advantage of the unique resources and creative expertise that exists in the extramural research community.

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NORA

- NORA is intended to focus national research efforts on priority injuries and illness in eight industrial sectors (agriculture, mining, construction, healthcare, manufacturing, services, transportation, trade)
- NIOSH will identify a subset of the national research priorities to focus its programs
- NIOSH intramural and extramural research programs will have unique as well as complimentary priorities

National Occupational Research Agenda (NORA)



NIOSH Funding Mechanisms

- Grants
- Cooperative Agreements
- Contracts

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- The extramural program supports projects in 38 states plus Puerto Rico, the District of Columbia, and Canada
 - 144 research grants
 - 31 OSH cooperative agreements
 - 10 WTC cooperative agreements
 - 17 ERCs
 - 32 training project grants
 - 10 Conference Grants

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- **Surveillance**
 - 15 State-based surveillance projects
- **Training**
 - 17 Education and Research Centers (ERCs)
 - 32 Training Program Grants (TPGs)
 - National Fire Fighter Training Center
 - Western U.S. Mining Training Center
- **Agriculture**
 - 7 Agriculture Safety and Health Centers
 - 1 Children's Center for Agriculture Safety and Health

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- **WorkLife Initiative**
 - 3 National WorkLife Centers
- **Global Workplace Safety and Health**
 - Support for 16 International Training Centers through collaboration with Fogarty International at NIH
 - Capacity building grant with the World Health Organization (WHO)
- **Mesothelioma**
 - National tissue bank and patient registry
- **Small Business Support**
 - 8 Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) awards
- **Construction**
 - 2 Centers for Construction Safety and Health Research

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Further Information

- **OEP:** <http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/oep>
- **NORA:** <http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/nora>
- **r2p:** <http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/r2p>
- **NIOSH Funding Opportunities:**
<http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/oep/funding.html>

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